

**U.S. District Court  
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)  
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:19-cv-02801-TNM**

MARTINEZ v. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND  
HUMAN SERVICES  
Assigned to: Judge Trevor N. McFadden  
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 09/18/2019  
Jury Demand: None  
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of  
Information Act  
Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

**Plaintiff**

**FREDDY MARTINEZ**

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
09/18/2019	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES ( Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number 0090-6385125) filed by FREDDY MARTINEZ. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A, # <u>2</u> Exhibit B, # <u>3</u> Exhibit C, # <u>4</u> Exhibit D, # <u>5</u> Exhibit E, # <u>6</u> Exhibit F, # <u>7</u> Exhibit G, # <u>8</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>9</u> Summons)(Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 09/18/2019)
09/18/2019	<u>2</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Joshua Hart Burday on behalf of FREDDY MARTINEZ (Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 09/18/2019)
09/20/2019		Case Assigned to Judge Trevor N. McFadden. (zeg) (Entered: 09/20/2019)
09/20/2019	<u>3</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachment: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(zeg) (Entered: 09/20/2019)
09/20/2019	<u>4</u>	STANDING ORDER establishing procedures for cases before Judge Trevor N. McFadden. The parties are directed to read and strictly comply with the attached order. Signed by Judge Trevor N. McFadden on 9/20/2019. (Entered: 09/20/2019)
11/04/2019	<u>5</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Scott Leeson Sroka on behalf of U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (Sroka, Scott) (Entered: 11/04/2019)
11/04/2019	<u>6</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES.(Sroka, Scott) (Entered: 11/04/2019)

11/04/2019		MINUTE ORDER. Before the Court are a Complaint and an Answer in this FOIA case. It is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall meet and confer and file a Joint Status Report proposing a schedule for proceeding in this matter. The schedule should address, among other things, the status of Plaintiff's FOIA request, the anticipated number of documents responsive to Plaintiff's FOIA request, the anticipated date(s) for release of the documents requested by Plaintiff, whether a motion for an Open America stay is likely in this case, whether a Vaughn index will be required in this case, and a briefing schedule for dispositive motions, if required. The parties shall file the schedule on or before November 25, 2019. Signed by Judge Trevor N. McFadden on 11/04/2019. (lctnm1) (Entered: 11/04/2019)
11/04/2019		Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 11/25/2019. (hmc) (Entered: 11/04/2019)
11/04/2019	<u>7</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES served on 9/30/2019 (Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 11/04/2019)
11/04/2019	<u>8</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 10/1/2019. (Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 11/04/2019)
11/04/2019	<u>9</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 10/3/2019. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 11/2/2019. (Burday, Joshua) (Entered: 11/04/2019)